

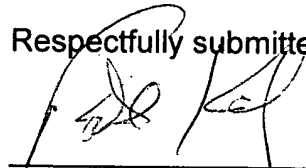
REMARKS

The present Communication is being filed to enter amendment to claims made in Amendment mailed April 28, 2003 and which were not previously entered. Specifically, the Examiner noted that the amendments would raise new issues requiring further consideration or search.

It is believed entry of the amendments will place the application and claims in condition for allowance. In this regard, it is respectfully requested that, upon entry of the amendments, the Examiner reconsider and withdraw all rejections of the claims.

If a telephone conference would be of assistance in advancing the prosecution of this application, applicant's undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,



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